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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of)
 CALIFORNIA BRAMTEL, INC. to Abandon)
 its Certificate of Public Convenience)
 and Necessity to Operate as a)
 Reseller of Telecommunications)
 Services within California.)
 (U-5119-C))

Application 89-07-014
 (Filed July 3, 1989)

OPINION

California Bramtel, Inc. (applicant), a California corporation, requests authority to abandon its certificate of public convenience and necessity, to withdraw its tariff, and to discontinue operations as a public utility.

Applicant received a certificate of public convenience and necessity to provide interLATA telecommunications reseller services on August 18, 1986, pursuant to Decision (D.) 86-08-067 in Application 85-08-001. The certificate was subsequently amended in D.87-03-036 in the same application to expand applicant's service territory. Applicant has determined that further operation of its telecommunications business is not feasible. It has notified all of its customers by notice of termination given pursuant to Rule 11 of its tariffs on file with this Commission. Applicant has aided its customers in establishing service with other entities providing similar telecommunications service. Such arrangements were completed by June 30, 1989. Under the circumstances, applicant asserts that there is no reason for it to maintain its certificate of public convenience and necessity or to continue as a California public utility.

There are no protests. The Commission finds that applicant has terminated its business and that the public no longer requires applicant's service. A public hearing is not necessary. The application should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED that the certificate of public convenience and necessity issued to California Bramtel, Inc. pursuant to D.86-08-067 as amended by D.87-03-036 is revoked and all of its tariffs are canceled.

This order is effective today.

Dated SEP 7 1989, at San Francisco, California.

G. MITCHELL WILK
President
FREDERICK R. DUDA
STANLEY W. HULETT
JOHN B. OHANIAN
PATRICIA M. ECKERT
Commissioners

I CERTIFY THAT THIS DECISION
WAS APPROVED BY THE ABOVE
COMMISSIONERS TODAY.

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